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# *Magnolia Gardens And Nurseries*

Charleston, S. C.

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## *Rare Camellias*

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Located at  
**MAGNOLIA GARDENS**  
**CHARLESTON, S. C.**  
on  
**S. C. Route 61**  
**Twelve Miles from Charleston**



Mail Address  
**R.F.D. No. 2, John's Island, S. C.**



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### BUSINESS TERMS

**SPECIAL NOTE:** No orders to be crated and shipped under ten dollars can be accepted.

**PRICES:** Prices in this list supersede all former quotations and are subject to change without notice.

**PAYMENT:** Cash with order except to those of known responsibility. All charge accounts due in 30 days.

**CRATING:** No charge.

**DISCOUNTS:** A 10% discount will be allowed on Balled and Burlapped orders picked up at the nursery.

**SHIPMENTS:** We can ship by Railway Express, Motor or Railway Freight. In absence of specific instructions, Camellias will be sent by Railway Express. All transportation charges will be borne by purchaser. No charge for delivery to station.

**C.O.D. SHIPMENTS:** 25% deposit required as guarantee of acceptance on arrival.

**SUBSTITUTIONS:** None made unless instructed to do so.

**GUARANTEE:** We guarantee camellias to be well rooted healthy scale free plants, properly packed and shipped. As we have no control over growing conditions after plants have left the nursery, we cannot guarantee camellias to live—that is entirely up to the knowledge and skill of the purchaser.

**PACKING:** All camellias are Crated, Balled and Burlapped, but shipment can be made with bare roots in wet Sphagnum moss at purchaser's risk if desired.

If your order is not acknowledged promptly, please advise us at once.

**NOTICE TO NURSERYMEN:** We have not been in business long enough to build up sufficient stocks of fine camellias to sell wholesale. However, we do invite a close comparison of our prices of rare camellias with those of wholesalers. Large orders will be given discounts; write us your needs and we will make you a price.

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### GARDEN CLUBS

We have a slide collection of some 125 camellias in full color which we will be glad to lend Garden Clubs or any other responsible group. They are mounted in the standard 2x2 mountings, so can be shown in most projectors.

### CALIFORNIANS

Due to your quarantine restrictions only defoliated camellias can be shipped into California.

### GRAFTED PLANTS

Due to some influence in the understock beyond our control, occasionally a heretofore solid color variety will bloom variegated. We guarantee the scion as to variety, but if it blooms true or not is another matter. In every case reported, the variegated form has been far more desirable than the solid one. There are many theories as to this behavior, but we have drawn no conclusions as to the cause.

Our understocks were heavily root pruned before grafting. When you receive one of our grafts, you will be sure to have every root which grew the top.

Grafted camellias are graded according to their own merits. A straight stem graft will not be priced the same as a bushy one the same height but will be sold in a lower grade.

## MAGNOLIA GARDENS

Magnolia Gardens were made world-famous by its azaleas being seen by the thousands of people who visited every spring—few ever realizing the magnificent camellias they walked by were even growing there—their glory had passed with the coming of the azaleas. Those who really know the Gardens feel that the place should be famous for its camellia collection which so few people see in the winter and early spring.

These camellias were imported by the Reverend John G. Drayton, creator of Magnolia Gardens, during the 1840's from France and Belgium. We have a letter of his written to a fellow minister dated 1858 in which he states "I was afraid the other day that I had been exaggerating when in answer to his inquiries, I told a friend that I supposed their might be some 120 varieties of camellias at Magnolia. So I sat down and summed up the count afterwards and found that number of fine double varieties and how many more, I do not pretend to know—their name seems to be something like legion. Many of the plants are near 10 feet high and as thick as a holly bush—with almost as many flowers as leaves—". Some of these have reached colossal proportions, one double variety now measuring 28 feet in height, 23 feet through, and 16 inches in trunk diameter.

A few of our varieties have been on the market for years, and you will be surprised to find you probably already have some of them in your collection.

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### THREE STAR SPECIAL GROUP

**Lady Charlotte**—(Our seedling) We consider this our most outstanding semi-double of the pinks. A large clear pale pink with prominent stamens and three rows of waved petals veined with white. Even without flowers this variety would be an ornament as growth is tall and symmetrical and foliage is very dark, pointed, and heavily veined. This is one of the hardiest camellias, coming out in perfect bloom last season just after the severest freeze of many years.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

Grafts: 8-12" and 12-15"  
6 year understock.

**Mrs. Freeman Weiss**—(Our seedling) This flower created a sensation at the 1944 Sand Hills Garden Club Camellia Exhibit where it was seen on exhibition for the first time. It is a semi-double pink of loose construction with wavy petals and petaloids mixed with its stamens. Foliage is light green in color. This is the first offering of this magnificent new camellia.

Grafts: 8-12 to 24-30", 6-8 year understock.

**Reticulata**: None available this season.

Prices of Three Star Special Group above:

Own Root:	8-12"-----	4.00
	12-15"-----	5.00
Grafts:	8-12"-----	8.00
	12-15"-----	10.00
	15-18"-----	15.00
	18-24"-----	20.00
	24-30"-----	25.00



### 3 STAR WHITES

**Elizabeth Boardman**—(Our seedling) The blooms are enormous hemispherical, semi-double white, fluted construction with golden stamens in-



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termixed. Rounded, light green foliage. Upright growth. This is a hardy free bloomer. Midseason flowering.

Grafts: 8-12" to 36", 4-6-8-10 year understock.

**Mrs. Charles Simons**—A large semi-double white, loose construction with stamens intermixed. Light green, heavily veined foliage. Symmetrical, fast grower. Midseason bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

Grafts: 8-12" to 30", 6-8-10 year understock.

**Lady of The Lake**—(Our seedling) Large semi-double white, fluted petals, irregular construction. Long, narrow curved, dark green foliage. Loose upright grower. Midseason bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Grandiflora Alba** — (Haku Rakutan-White Crane) An enormous white flower, loosely formed with a few stamens intermingled with the petals. Light green glossy foliage. Tall vigorous grower. Not to be confused with Alba Superba.

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 7 year understock.

**Imura**—Very showy semi-double flower about five to six inches across with large petals. Fast grower with long, narrow, shiny leaves.

Grafts: 8-12" to 36", 6-8-10 year understock.

**Refugee**—(Our seedling) Large semi-double white, medium to long narrow overlapping waved petals with showy stamens when full open. Medium light green foliage. Symmetrical, upright grower. This was the most outstanding white in the 1944 Jacksonville, Florida, Camellia Show.

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 4-6 year understock.

**White Giant**—Very large flower resembling Lotus, but blooms more freely. Dark green shiny leaves, large and well pointed and serrated. Very upright vigorous grower. Midseason bloomer.

Grafts: 8-12" to 12-15", 6-7 year understock.

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Prices on 3 Star varieties above.

Own Root:	8-12"-----	3.00
	12-15"-----	4.00
	15-18"-----	5.00
	18-24"-----	6.00
Grafts:	8-12"-----	7.00
	12-15"-----	8.50
	15-18"-----	12.50
	18-24"-----	17.50
	24-30"-----	20.00
	30-36"-----	25.00



### 3 STAR PINKS

**Eleanor Hagood**—(Our seedling) Medium size, delicate pale pink with ten rows of petals which are inclined to be of a loose double construction and when full open shows stamens in center. Medium size light green foliage. Symmetrical grower. Very hardy.

Grafts: 8-12" and 12-15", 4-6 year understock.

**Madame Maintenon**—One of our finest original varieties which always seems to miss camellia shows. It is a cup-shaped semi-double with prominent stamens and a light pink color, the particular shade of which we have never seen in any other camellia. A large flower, but does not have to depend on its size to be outstanding in any collection. Large dark green foliage.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

Grafts: 8-12" and 12-15", 6 year understock.

**Duke of Burgundy**—(Our seedling) Medium size semi-double pink with petals fading to white around edge. Stamens intermixed. This flower resembles the Pink Herme in formation, but the shade of pink is somewhat lighter. Small, dark green foliage. Loose upright grower.

Grafts: 8-12" and 12-15", 6 year understock.

**Rainsford Cantelou**—(Hall Townes) This ori-

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ginal is a large semi-double bright pink, waxed salmon tinge with stamens intermixed. Long, broad, dark green foliage. Upright grower. Free midseason bloomer.

Grafts: 8-12" and 12-15", 4-5 year understock.

**Pink Glory**—(Finlandia, F.N.) Large semi-double light pink with narrow petals and petaloids mixed with stamens. A good growing plant, blooming in late midseason.

Grafts: 8-12" to 18-24", 4-6-8 year understock.

**Josephine Duell**—Semi-double soft pink of loose peony construction. Blooms in late midseason.

Grafts: 8-12" to 18-24", 7 year understock.

**Elizabeth Fleming**—(A seedling of Donckelaari) This flower is very much like the Donckelaari in formation but is a very pleasing shade of pink. Large, curved, heavy ribbed, dark green foliage. Very desirable.

Grafts: 8-12" and 12-15", 6 year understock.

**Smiling Beauty**—A delicate shade of pink makes this semi-double a very distinctive flower of medium size.

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 6-8 year understock.

**Mathotiana Rosea**—(Pink Beauty-Laura Polka-Rosea Superba) Large double deep pink, opening with rosebud center. It is outstanding for its free blooming habits. Foliage resembles Julia Drayton except more pointed and darker green. Vigorous upright grower. Midseason to late.

Grafts: 8-12" to 18-24", 7 year understock.

**Prima Donna**—(No. 283 Tea Garden). From the Tea Gardens comes this large open blooming semi-double bright pink with its veined petals. Small dark green foliage.

Our Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

Grafts: 8-12" to 27", 6-8-10 year understock.

**Magnoliaflora**—An extremely pale pink semi-double which is a "Must" for every collection. With

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its delicate blush color and large petals opening about a small group of petaloids, there is no other camellia like it.

Grafts: 8-12" to 30-36", 6-8-10 year understock.

Prices on 3 Star varieties above.

Own Root:	8-12"-----	3.00
	12-15"-----	4.00
	15-18"-----	5.00
	18-24"-----	6.00
Grafts:	8-12"-----	7.00
	12-15"-----	8.50
	15-18"-----	12.50
	18-24"-----	17.50
	24-30"-----	20.00
	30-36"-----	25.00

### 3 STAR REDS

**Marian Mitchell**—(Our seedling) This is our finest scarlet red seedling which has won favor with discerning collectors everywhere. It is a large late blooming semi-double with fragile petaloids mixed among the stamens. This plant for three years has been one of our best sellers.

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 6 year understock.

**Robert E. Lee**—(Our seedling) For those who want the extremely dark reds, this is the camellia. In midseason it opens almost black buds into a glowing dark irregular loose semi-double flower. The veins in the petals are even darker in color. Stamens are red with usually a few petaloids showing. It has bloomed well outside ever year since it was discovered four years ago and can be considered a freeze proof flower and a good grower.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 6 year understock.

**Henry Middleton**—Large semi-double dark red, 3-4 rows of large petals. Prominent stamens in center. Large glossy dark green foliage. Symmetrical upright grower. Midseason bloomer.

Grafts: 8-12" and 12-15", 7 year understock.

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**Firebrand**—An original Magnolia Garden variety. A large fiery red which blooms in January when many camellias are injured by cold. This beautiful semi-double is further enhanced by white veins on its occasional petaloids. Firebrand is an ideal camellia for those who have trouble blooming camellias out of doors in the coldest part of the winter.

Grafts: 8-12" to 30", 6-8-10 year understock.

**J. J. Pringle Smith**—One of the largest of the late season reds, flowers being full five inches in diameter. It is a semi-double regularly formed and quite cold resistant. Large glossy foliage.

Grafts: 8-12 to 30", 6 and 8 year understock.

**Tiara**—(Our seedling) This is a very unusual camellia in both color and form; an orange red which opens as an imbricated with a long pointed bud in the center and later becomes a regular semi-double. Petals are rounded in shape. We have seen no other camellia of its type.

Grafts: 8-12" to 28", 4-6-8 year understock.

**John Ilges**—(Our seedling) Enormous flat star shaped, bright single red with prominent stamens. Long, narrow, dark green foliage. Midseason. We believe this to be the finest single red.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

**Mrs. Charles Cobb**—(Our seedling) Large semi-double dark (almost black) red with rich golden stamens intermixed in petals. Large, rounded, light green foliage. Symmetrical upright grower. Mid-season.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

Prices on 3 Star varieties above.

Own Root:	8-12"-----	3.00
	12-15"-----	4.00
	15-18"-----	5.00
	18-24"-----	6.00
Grafts:	8-12"-----	7.00
	12-15"-----	8.50
	15-18"-----	12.50
	18-24"-----	17.50
	24-30"-----	20.00
	30-36"-----	25.00

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### 3 STAR VARIEGATED

**Marian Mitchell, Variegated**—We were so well pleased with this variety as a solid red that we were quite overwhelmed when through grafting it came out heavily variegated. Those who know the solid form will certainly wanted this improved strain.

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18, 4-6 year understock.

**Pink Glory, Variegated**—This is the variegated form of the genuine Pink Glory (Finlandia, F. N.). Our scions were taken from a plant whose flowers come half white.

Grafts: 8-12" and 12-15", 4-6-8 year understock.

**Lady Mary Cromartie, Variegated**—(La Reine, Var.) The variegated form of the well known pink. This is a large semi-double deep rose pink and white, loose construction, stamens intermixed in petals. Large, light green foliage. Early midseason bloomer.

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 4-6-8 year understock.

**Adolphe Audusson, Variegated**—A very large semi-double deep red marbled with white. Prominent stamens irregularly arranged among the heavy broad petals. Large deep green foliage. Midseason bloomer.

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 6 year understock.

**Donckelaari**—Large semi-double red, marbled white with conspicuous golden stamens in the center. Large, narrow, dark green foliage. Slow grower and very difficult to propagate. Free bloomer, beginning in January continuing through March. We consider this variety one of the best in its class.

Grafts: 8-12" to 30", 4-6-8-10 year understock.

**Eugene Lize**—(Lady Jane Gray) A semi-double to loose peony rich cherry red marbled white. Foliage and growing habits resembles the Donckelaari. Midseason bloomer.

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 4-6 year understock.

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**Dr. Shepherd—**(Firegold-Te Deum) A Tea Garden original named after the founder. Heretofore described as a solid red, our scions all come from the two parent plants whose flowers are spotted with white. This flower is a huge semi-double loose peony dark red spotted white, forming a mass of golden stamens in the center. Rounded dull green foliage. Slow upright grower. Midseason to late bloomer. This variety is very difficult to propagate.

Grafts: 8-12" to 36", 6-10 year understock.

**Margaret Walker—**Very large semi-double white striped rose pink, loose waved petals with a few stamens intermingled in center. Narrow dark green foliage. Slow upright grower. Midseason to late bloomer.

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 4-8 year understock.

**Helen of Troy, Variegated—**(H. A. Downing) A beautiful new sport of this famous old variety. At Magnolia this variety has bloomed well every season despite the severest winters.

Grafts: 12-15" to 18-24".

Prices on 3 Star varieties above.

Own Root:	8-12"-----	3.00
	12-15"-----	4.00
	15-18"-----	5.00
	18-24"-----	6.00
Grafts:	8-12"-----	7.00
	12-15"-----	8.50
	15-18"-----	12.50
	18-24"-----	17.50
	24-30"-----	20.00
	30-36"-----	25.00



### 2 STAR WHITES

**Heningham Smith —** A sport of Alba Plena which we prefer to both it and Alba Fimbriata. The flower is of pine cone construction with bud in center and shows stamens when fully open, Foliage,

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growth habits, and blooming time are identical with Alba Plena.

Grafts: 8-12" to 30", 4-6-8 year understock.

**Mrs. William Thompson**—A very large semi-double white flower with prominent stamens. Large, rounded, serrated foliage. Vigorous slender growth. Midseason.

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 6 year understock.

**Snowdrift**—A lovely, large semi-double pure white with a cluster of stamens in the center. Long, dull green foliage. Midseason bloomer.

Grafts: 8-12", 4-6 year understock.

**Abundance**—Large full double white and a profuse bloomer. Large deep green, glossy foliage; blooms when very young.

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 8 year understock.

**Superba Noblissima**—(Quincy White) A large off-color white or ivory, peony form flower. Foliage dark green. Slow upright growth. Late bloomer.

Grafts: 8-12" to 30-36", 4-6-10 year understock.

**Belle Neige**—Flat semi-double white with narrow petals and petaloids mixed with stamens. Small, light green foliage. Midseason bloomer. A Magnolia original.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 4-6 year understock.

**Claritas Alba**—A midseason semi-double white which tends to become a very loose peony type flower. This is one of our old original varieties.

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 6 year understock.

**Finlandia** — (White Herme, Dearest) Large white flower of loose, semi-double shape with a mass of golden stamens in center intermingled with a few petaloids. Narrow, long pointed glossy foliage. A hardy, free flowering variety.

Grafts: 8-12" and 12-15", 5-7 year understock.

**Waterloo**—(Ethrington White) A pure white



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semi-double flower of tissue thin texture. A profuse bloomer from December through March.

Grafts: 12-15", 8 year understock.

Prices on above 2 Star Varieties:

Own Root:	8-12"-----	2.00
	12-15"-----	3.00
	15-18"-----	4.00
	18-24"-----	5.00
	24-30"-----	6.00
	30-36"-----	8.00
	3-4 ft.-----	12.00
Grafts:	8-12"-----	5.00
	12-15"-----	6.50
	15-18"-----	8.00
	18-24"-----	12.50
	24-30"-----	15.00
	30-36"-----	18.00



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**Elizabeth Grandy**—(Margaret Higdon) Large semi-double deep pink fading to white around edge of petals. Rich stamens intermixed. Dull green foliage. Symmetrical upright grower Midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Lady Mary Cromartie**—(A Magnolia Original) Large semi-double deep rose pink, loose construction with stamens intermixed in petals. Large light green foliage. Symmetrical upright growth. Free midseason bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Julia Drayton**—(Mathotiana Rubra) Large double deep pink, when open has few stamens in center. Long, broad, dark green foliage. Dense upright growth. Midseason to late bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Pink Star**—Large peony type flower of bright rose pink. Outer row of petals form a star like appearance. Large, rounded, light green foliage. Blooms midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

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**Princess Irene**—One of our old original varieties which is comparatively unknown as it has been so difficult to propagate. A large rose pink semi-double with bell shaped petaloids among stamens. Inner petals tend to become petaloids. Usually blooms too early for camellia shows. Large, heavy, dark green foliage.

Grafts: 8-12" and 12-15", 6 year understock.

**Marquis de Montcalm**—(A Magnolia Original) A midseason blooming rose pink whose flowers usually face downward. Of pine cone formation, its petals gradually become narrower as they near the center, finally becoming petaloids. Few stamens showing. This is also one of our old original varieties. Midseason bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

Grafts: 8-12" to 12-15", 6 year understock.

**Arthur Middleton**—An exquisite, large deep pink flower of formal type. When fully opened the stamens are intermingled with the petaloids. Free blooming and vigorous in growth. Midseason to late bloom.

Grafts: 8-12" and 12-15", 6-8 year understock.

**Rose Dawn**—Medium to large, very beautiful double rose pink. The flower resembles Alba Plena as to form. Midseason bloomer.

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 6 year understock.

**No. 113 Tea Garden** — (Louise McClay-Grandiflora Superba) Large semi-double rose pink with crepe edge petals. Free midseason bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Empress** — (Grandiflora Rosea-Lady Clare) Semi-double, rose pink with creped petals and prominent stamens. A very large, fine form flower. Blooms early to midseason.

Own Root: 8-12 to 3-4'.

**D. C. Strother**—(Evening Star) Large, light, single pink with crepe like petals, prominent stamens. Blooms midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

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**Pink Ball**—Medium size peony form pale pink flower. Very similar to Debutante but blooms much later.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

Grafts: 12-15" and 15-18", 4-6 year understock.

**Debutante**—(Sara C. Hastie) Medium size light pink peony like flower. Early to midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" to 24-30".

**Rev. John Bennett**—This is one of our finest original varieties. Huge semi-double, true salmon pink with veined petal, occasional petaloids. Narrow, dark green foliage. Loose, upright growth. Mid-season to late bloomer. Watch for a spurious variety under the same name.

Own Root: 8-12" to 24-30".

**Lady Devere**—(Our seedling) Medium to large semi-double pale shell pink with conspicuous stamens in the center. Blooms late.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

Grafts: 24" to 30", 6-8-10 year understock.

**Aitonia**—(A Magnolia Original) Large semi-double rose pink with stamens and a few petaloids mixed in the center. Blooms midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

Grafts: 8-12" to 12-15", 4-8 year understock.

**Rosea Plena**—(A Magnolia Original) Medium size imbricated rose pink with dark veins. Formation that of Alba Plena with the exception of a few flowers which come a perfect star shape. Blooms midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Marquis of Exeter**—(A Magnolia Original) A large pink peony flower with the Debutant formation, although slightly larger and deeper in color. Early bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Joseph Holland**—A late season semi-double pink of loose formation with countless small curved

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petals. Occasionally opens with bud in center. This flower is most unusual when viewed from its side as the waved petals are so regularly placed. An upright growing variety with light green foliage. This is one of our old original varieties.

Own root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Tina Gilliard**—One of our seedlings from Derbiana and a great improvement over it. A large semi-double pink with prominent stamens and regularly placed wavy petals. Like its parent, it is a hardy camellia. Midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 5 year understock.

**Vanity Fair**—(No. 104 Tea Garden) Medium to large semi-double pink with twisted irregular petals. Blooms midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Troubadour**—A salmon pink semi-double is this old Magnolia Garden variety. Three rows of large petals forming a pine cone type flower of great depth. A midseason bloomer. This variety has small narrow leaves on thin twigs. This will find favor with those who know the Rev. John Bennett camellia.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

Grafts: 12" to 18", 6 year understock.

**Ruffled Beauty**—From the Tea Garden is this rose pink camellia. A loose irregular peony with wavy petals whose texture seems to be that of crepe paper. Even the border of the petals is ruffled. A midseason to late bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 4-6 year understock.

**Eleanor McCrady**—(Our seedling) Enormous semi-double bright pink, large long waved petals of loose construction. Large light green foliage. This outstanding variety is a midseason, free bloomer and vigorous grower.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 4-6 year understock.

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**Cardinal Richelieu**—One of our original varieties. A regular formed loose flower with a bunch of petaloids and stamens in center. Of a rose red hue, this flower blooms well in early midseason when many others are ruined by cold.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Constellation**—Another old original which is quite unknown due to the difficulty of its propagation. An early blooming medium size imbricated flower of deep pink fading to blush in the center. Many of its flowers come tiered forming a six pointed star. All petals of its ten rows are incurved. This is one of the most interesting varieties we have.

Grafts: 8-12" and 12-15", 6 year understock.

**Ann Alexandre**—A delicate textured rose pink with narrow petals of loose pine cone formation. A Magnolia Garden original of medium size.

Grafts: 8-12" and 12-15", 6 year understock.

**Northern Light**—(A Magnolia seedling) A dark pink semi-double to peony of a very loose formation with narrow petals and stamens intermixed in center.

Own Root: 8-12".

Grafts: 8-12" to 12-15", 4-6 year understock.

Prices on above 2 Star Varieties:

Own Root:	8-12"-----	2.00
	12-15"-----	3.00
	15-18"-----	4.00
	18-24"-----	5.00
	24-30"-----	6.00
	30-36"-----	8.00
	3-4 ft.-----	12.00

Grafts:	8-12"-----	5.00
	12-15"-----	6.50
	15-18"-----	8.00
	18-24"-----	12.50
	24-30"-----	15.00
	30-36"-----	18.00

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### 2 STAR REDS

**Helen of Troy**—(H. A. Downing) A large semi-double bright red with stamens in center. A very hardy, free midseason to late bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 3-4'.

**C. N. Hastie**—Another old original variety named after the owner of Magnolia Gardens. A medium to large dark maroon colored peony with tall symmetrical growth. Foliage round and dark. Late bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Royal Beauty**—(A Magnolia Original) Medium to large semi-double, vivid red with two rows of large petals and fragile stamens in the center. Very good midseason bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Margaret Lawrence**—(Vedrine) Large, loose, deep red peony like flower with stamens intermixed in center petals.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 6 year understock.

**His Majesty**—(A Magnolia Original) Medium to large semi-double red with loose construction and stamens in the center. Blooms midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Williams Middleton**—Medium to large, semi-double dark red with two rows of petals veined with lighter shading of red. Blooms midseason to late.

Grafts: 8-12" and 15-18", 7 year understock.

**Glen No. 40**—(No. 45 Tea Garden) Another rare one from the Tea Garden. A large deep red, very double, gradually showing stamens when opening, with flowers which cling to the bush for a long period of time. Slow growing but hardy. Midseason to late bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

Grafts: 8-12" to 24-30", 4-8-10 year understock.

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**Victor Emanuel**—(Blood of China) Very large semi-double red with conspicuous stamens in the center. Vigorous grower. Blooms midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

**Marguerita**—A red sport of Candida Elegantissima. Very large semi-double red with two rows of large petals and conspicuous stamens in center with few petaloids. Rounded, serrated dark green foliage. Very hardy free bloomer.

Grafts: 12-15" to 30", 6-8 year understock.

Prices on above 2 Star Varieties:

Own Root:	8-12"-----	2.00
	12-15"-----	3.00
	15-18"-----	4.00
	18-24"-----	5.00
	24-30"-----	6.00
	30-36"-----	8.00
	3-4 ft.-----	12.00
Grafts:	8-12"-----	5.00
	12-15"-----	6.50
	15-18"-----	8.00
	18-24"-----	12.50
	24-30"-----	15.00
	30-36"-----	18.00



### 2 STAR VARIEGATED

**Empress, Variegated**—A large semi-double deep pink marbled white with conspicuous stamens in center. Dark, glossy green foliage. A very hardy midseason bloomer.

Grafts: 8-12" and 12-15", 4-6 year understock.

**Gigantea**—(Magnolia King) Enormous semi-double to peony, dark deep red mottled white. Long, broad dark green foliage. Midseason to late bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

Grafts: 8-12" and 18-24", 4-6-8 year understock.

**Madame Chiang Kai-Shek**—(Thomas Plant) A large semi-double deep rose pink flecked white with very prominent stamens in center. The flower resembles Donckelaari in form. Medium dark green

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foliage. Very outstanding. Midseason to late bloomer.

Grafts: 8-12" to 30-36", 6-8-10 year understock.

**Duchess of Sutherland**—(A Magnolia Original)  
A large semi-double white with an occasional pink stripe in one petal, stamens in center. This is very variable as to form. Free midseason bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**American Beauty** — Another of our original varieties which has missed the fame it deserves by blooming in March long after the last camellia show. A medium to large double deep pink marbled white, it opens with a bud looking like the rose from which it derives its name. Stamens appear when fully open. One of the most difficult to propagate and a slow grower. Small light green foliage.

Own Root: 8-12".

Grafts: 8-12" to 25", 6-8year understock.

**Prima Donna Variegated**—(No. 44 Tea Garden)  
Medium to large loose semi-double bright pink marbled white. Often sports solid pink. Small bright green foliage. Blooms midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Surprise**—This lovely seedling of ours is a medium to large semi-double deep pink stripe with lighter pink. This flower opens with rosebud center and when full open shows stamens in the center. Broad, dark green foliage. Blooms midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Elizabeth Arden**—(Our seedling) Medium to large semi-double white, striped rose pink, often sports solid pink. All blooms open with a perfect rosebud center. Dark green foliage. Very hardy late bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Captain Martin's Favorite**—An early blooming medium size imbricated deep pink marbled white. A symmetrical flower with incurved inner petals. Our ninety year old plant blooms from late November



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through February. Long, narrow light green foliage.  
Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Joan of Arc**—This variety became almost extinct when the parent plant died some years ago leaving us with only a half dozen scions. A vivid red semi-double splotted with white of medium size. Has unusually fine dark foliage; a compact grower.

Grafts: 8-12" to 36", 6-8-10 year understock.

**Lady Van Sittart, Variegated**—A medium to large semi-double white, striped with rose pink with stamens in the center. Narrow, curved, dark green foliage. Free midseason bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**C. M. Hovey**—Variegated form of Julia Drayton.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Marchioness of Exeter**—This old original is a very large white and pink peony form flower. Long, light green foliage.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Peonyflora**—One of the most beautiful from the West Coast. A large very irregular loose peony. white flecked with pink. Sometimes has pink sport. Round dark foliage and spreading growth. Quite hardy.

Grafts: 8-12" to 15-18", 4 year understock.

**Catherine Cathcart**—(Leila) This old original from Magnolia Gardens is a very lovely medium to large double pink, marbled white. Rounded, light green foliage. Slow, slender growth. Late bloomer

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Colletti Maculata**—From two plants at the Tea Garden comes our strain. A medium size cherry red with white peony. This is a very old variety but very scarce due to the difficulty in propagating it.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

Grafts: 8-12", 6 year understock.

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**Delectissima**—Very large single white dashed with a wide pink stripe. Prominent stamens. Very hardy free early to midseason bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

Grafts: 8-12" to 12-15".

Prices on above 2 Star Varieties:

Own Root:	8-12"-----	2.00
	12-15"-----	3.00
	15-18"-----	4.00
	18-24"-----	5.00
	24-30"-----	6.00
	30-36"-----	8.00
	3-4 ft.-----	12.00
Grafts:	8-12"-----	5.00
	12-15"-----	6.50
	15-18"-----	8.00
	18-24"-----	12.50
	24-30"-----	15.00
	30-36"-----	18.00



### ONE STAR WHITES

**Triphosa**—(Mrs. Fritz Saunders) A large semi-double pure white flower with stamens in the center. Dark green twisted foliage.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Moonglow**—(A Magnolia Original) Medium size semi-double white, two rows of petals with a few fragile stamens and occasional petaloids in center. Medium sized, dark green foliage. Midseason bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 12-15".

**Leucantha**—(Sieboldi Alba) Solid white form of tri-color Sieboldi. Very hardy.

Own Root: 8-12" to 12-15".

**Lactea Alba**—This old original is a large semi-double white which often throws full double flowers. Midseason to late bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Alba Superba**—This also is an old original which has large semi-double pure white flowers

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with showy stamens in the center. A very hardy bloomer from midseason to late.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

Prices on One Star varieties above:

Own Root: 8-12"-----	1.25
12-15"-----	2.00
15-18"-----	3.00
18-24"-----	4.00
24-30"-----	5.00



### ONE STAR PINKS

**Lady Hume's Blush**—(Buff-Carnea) Small double white suffused pink. Often throws perfect star shaped flower.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

**Kumasaka**—(Lady Marian) A large deep pink peony like flower. Glossy green foliage. Very hardy, late bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

**Daybreak**—A seedling very much like Debutante. Late bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Bonne Chance**—An original of medium to large, semi-double cupped shape salmon pink with prominent stamens in center. Blooms freely in late season.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Rev. John Drayton**—(Mary E. M.) This magnificent camellia bears the name of the creator of Magnolia Gardens. One of our hardiest flowers, the parent plant has bloomed perfectly every year in an unprotected place despite the severest winter. A semi-double light pink with variable flower forms. Some open as regular semi-doubles, others as loose peonies and still a few with bud centers. A symmetrical compact grower with light green foliage.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

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**Patricia Mountbatten**—An original Magnolia Garden variety a little similar to the Rev. John Drayton. A rather flat flower of loose peony formation. Color is a medium pink with a purple cast. Large, light green foliage.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Favorita**—(Our seedling) A light pink single of enormous size. This flower also has a few petaloids with its stamens. An early bloomer with large dark green foliage. Like most singles it is a fast grower.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

**Hibiscus**—(A Magnolia Original) A large deep pink single with stamens in center. An early to midseason bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 24-30".

**Hussar**—(Our seedling) A seedling which has medium size regularly formed semi-double pink flowers with two rows of petals and prominent stamens. A flat loose grower with small foliage. Midseason flowering.

**Seraphim**—Another seedling which has a medium size semi-double dark pink flower. The inner petals are upright as if to form a protective ring around the stamens. Midseason bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Titian**—This original is a medium to large deep pink single with very large rounded petals, prominent uniform circle of stamens in the center. Midseason bloomer. Very unusual.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

**Columbine**—(A Magnolia Original) Medium to large flat imbricated star shape pink. This is ideal for cut flowers. Midseason to late.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Pink Herme**—Solid pink sport of Herme.

Own Root: 12-15" and 15-18".

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**Duke of Wellington**—(Our seedling) A large semi-double pink with loose construction and stamens intermixed in the petals, rather coarse heavy petals. Large dark green foliage. Midseason bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 24-30".

**Jersey Rose**—This seedling has a medium size semi-double rose pink flower with stamens intermingled with petals. A very good midseason bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Radiance**—(A Magnolia Original) Medium to large semi-double rose pink with spiral shaped stamens in petals. Midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Glamorous**—(Our seedling) This is a very lovely medium size loose double pink flower opening with a perfect rose bud center, when full open has a few stamens in the center. Heavily veined crinkly foliage. Midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Akebono**—A shell pink semi-double of medium size. Hardy bloomer and fast grower.

Own Root: 8-12" only.

Prices on One Star varieties above:

Own Root: 8-12"-----	1.25
12-15"-----	2.00
15-18"-----	3.00
18-24"-----	4.00
24-30"-----	5.00



### ONE STAR REDS

**Derbiana**—Large semi-double to peony dark red with stamens intermixed with petaloids. Vigorous growers. Midseason to late.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Torch**—This is a very showy old original. The flowers are a medium to large semi-double dark red

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with loose construction and stamens in center. Blooms midseason to late.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Bonfire**—(No. 243 Tea Garden) A very large loose, dark peony red. Resembles Margaret Lawrence in formation. A late free bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**La Boheme**—Large semi-double to peony red with loose formation. Midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Fantasy**—A small semi-double bright red with pine cone construction and stamens in center. Very good midseason bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

**Pixie**—A small semi-double bright red, veined white with few stamens in center. Good midseason to late bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Mikado**—A very dark red medium sized semi-double with petals mixed with its stamens. Midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Boutonniere**—(Original Magnolia Variety) A small very dark red of perfect imbricated formation. Its small petals and regular form make it a miniature flower. Shows stamens when fully open. Dark green foliage. Midseason to late.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Lord Ferndale**—(A Magnolia Original) A medium to large loose peony flower of dark red color. A vigorous grower.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Col. Fiery**—(Wm. S. Hastie, Mississippi Hastie) Very double, brilliant crimson flower.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Delphine**—An unusually large salmon red single with prominent stamens. Blooms midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

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**Latafolia**—The solid form of the Fanny Bollis or Leana Superba.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Rainy Sun**—An enormous flat semi-double dark pink. Hardy bloomer and vigorous grower.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

**Communist**—A medium sized very dark red which open as a regular formal imbricated with large bud in center and then becomes a semi-double with stamens.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

Prices on One Star varieties above:

Own Root: 8-12"-----	1.25
12-15"-----	2.00
15-18"-----	3.00
18-24"-----	4.00
24-30"-----	5.00



### ONE STAR VARIEGATED

**General Washington**—Medium size semi-double white with occasional deep pink stripe, showing stamens in center petals. Midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Enrico Bettoni, Variegated**—This variegated form of the well known Enrico Bettoni was found at the Tea Garden. A large flat loose flower of deep pink and white with inner petals mixed in stamens. Hardy variety.

Own Root: 8-12".

**Sweeti Vera, Variegated**—A large semi-double to loose peony white sprinkled with pale pink. Stamens intermixed in center petals. Rounded heavy veined foliage. Early to midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

**Sarah Bernhardt**—Medium to large, irregular, semi-double white, striped pink with stamens and petaloids intermixed. Free bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

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**Fanny Bollis** — (Fanny Basil-Butterfly-Leana Superba, Var.) A semi-double to peony rose pink and white. Heavy stiff dark green foliage and a compact grower.

Own Root: 8-12" to 12-15".

Prices on One Star varieties above:

Own Root: 8-12"-----	1.25
12-15"-----	2.00
15-18"-----	3.00
18-24"-----	4.00
24-30"-----	5.00

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**Louise Centurion**—Medium size imbricated white. Blooms a perfect star shape in greenhouse. Fine for cut flowers. Mideason.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

**Incarnata**—Medium to large imbricated white. Rounded, dark green foliage. Midseason to late.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

**Fascination**—Medium peony white, striped rose pink. Variable to form and color.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**La Belle Pêche**—Medium size semi-double white, sprinkled pink. Midseason.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

**Chandleri Elegans**—Large semi-double pink and white, loose peony center with stamens inter-mixed.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Pink Chandleri**—Sport of Chandleri.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Professor Sargent**—Medium size peony red. Rich dark green foliage.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Tricolor Sieboldi**—Medium semi-double white striped pink. This variety varies as to color, from



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pure white to pure red with all shades and color combinations in between.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Lady Summerez**—Sport from Sieboldi. Red marbled white.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Kathleen Read**—A regular formed white semi-double with pink stripes. Very hardy vigorous grower.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Revelation**—A loose peony white and pink flower.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Monarch** — (Gunelli-Honneur d'Amerique-Red Ball) Large deep peony pink, often mottled white. Very choice variety.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Variabilis**—(Horkan-Rene Campbell) Medium semi-double pink and white, varies as to form and color. Vigorous grower.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Speciosa**—(Giante de Batailles) Medium to small peony dark red with white splotches.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Prince Albert** — (Concordia-Beautiful) Loose peony pink and white and a wide variation of color combinations.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Bella Romana**—(Tri-color-Imbricata-La Peppermint) Double deep pink striped with lighter pink.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Mrs. Luerman**—Double imbricated dark red with white markings. Good bloomer.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Feasti**—(Blushing Bride) Double imbricated white with pink markings. Often solid pink.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

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**Abby Wilder, imbricated**—Medium size imbricated white striped rose pink.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Horry Frost**—Medium to small imbricated red and white.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Firefly**—Medium size semi-double bright red sprinkled with white.

Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Zenith**—(No. 107 Tea Garden) Medium size double rose pink marbled white. Good for greenhouse.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

**Diadem**—(No. 383 Tea Garden) Large loose double white striped rose pink.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Rubra Plena** — (Mme. Laois-Prince Eugene Napoleon—Pope Pius IX—Carlotta Grissi) Medium size imbricated red.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Imperator**—A brilliant Christmas red peony type flower.

Own Root: 12-15" to 18-24".

**Meteor**—Medium dark semi-double red, loose construction.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

**Jarvis Red**—Semi-double deep blood red flower with golden stamens.

Own Root: 15-18".

**John Harvard**—Small double purple flower.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

**Robin Hood**—(No. 174 Tea Garden) Semi-double bright peony red.

Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

**Modesty**—(No. 340 Tea Garden) Medium size

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imbricated dark pink opening with rose bud center.  
Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Toreador**—Medium size semi-double pink with stamens and petaloids.  
Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

**Illusion**—Large single pale pink with prominent stamens.  
Own Root: 12-15" and 15-18".

**Trilby**—Medium size delicate pale pink single with stamens in center.  
Own Root: 8-12" and 12-15".

**Ambassador** — Large dark pink peony like flower.  
Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Challenger** — Medium size light peony pink. Very good.  
Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Pink Perfection**—Double imbricated shell pink.  
Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Cup of Beauty**—Medium size semi-double pink, when opening resembles cup and saucer and when full open has a mass of stamens.  
Own Root: 8-12" to 18-24".

**Rose Royale** — (No. 245 Tea Garden) Large double rose pink. Foliage and growth habits resembles Julia Drayton.  
Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Madonna**—Medium size semi-double rose pink splotted white. Free bloomer and a very fast grower.  
Own Root: 8-12".

**Cavalcade**—(No. 240 Tea Garden) Large bell shaped single dark red splotted white.  
Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

**Semi-Double Blush**—(Celtic Rosea, Pearl of China) A fast growing pale pink semi-double of

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medium size. Usually one of the first acquired in a new collection.

Own Root: 8-12" to 24-30".

**Morning Mist**—A mid-season semi-double white which closely resembled Alba Superba.

Own Root: 8-12" to 15-18".

Prices on above Standard varieties.

Own Root: 8-12" -----	.75
12-15" -----	1.25
15-18" -----	2.00
18-24" -----	2.50
24-30" -----	3.00

We have the following varieties in grafted plants in limited supply:

No. 32 Middleton Place	Joseph Holland
Candida Elegantissima	Eleanor of Fair Oaks
Emma Ladé	Light Gigantea
Il Tramonto	White Knight
Hussar	Electra
Charles Duell	Martha Brice
Marchioness of Salisbury	Duchess of Windsor
Mrs. Charles Blard	Wondrous
Scarlet O'Hara	Wondrous, Variegated
Prima Donna, Var.	Bessie McArthur
(T.F. No. 44)	Compacta Alba
William Penn	C. N. Hastie, Var.
White Hope	Seraphim, Var.
Frizzle White	Lindsay Neill
Duchess of Northumber-	May Watson
land	Jeanne Kerr
Pink Ball	John Illges
White Chandleri	Wilsbanksiana
Paulette Goddard	Victor Emanuel
Tinky Lee	Emperor of Russia
Black Prince	Lotus
Pine Cone	Abundance



